

**MOTION TO AVOID LIEN  
(WITHOUT PASSIVE HEARING NOTICE)**

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There are two processes that may be utilized to file a “Motion to Avoid Lien.”

**Process 1**, as outlined in the Participant’s Guide, “**Motion to Avoid Lien (with passive hearing notice)**,” should be used for the filing of a lien avoidance motion as to one creditor only and allows for entry of passive hearing notice information. If this event is used for multiple creditors, it requires multiple entries of the motion to avoid lien, including passive notice hearing information and an attached proposed order, for each creditor.

**Process 2**, as outlined in the Participant’s Guide, “**Motion to Avoid Lien (without passive hearing notice)**,” should be used for the filing of lien avoidances(s) as to multiple creditors and, requires preparation of one “pdf” including the names of all creditors listed in the motion. Docket this “pdf” using the event “Motion to Avoid Lien (without passive hearing notice),” separately for each creditor, then enter a “Notice of Possible Hearing 25” once, using the same “pdf,” and link it to all of the motions entered. This process will allow passive notice hearing information to be entered only once, with only one attached proposed order (referencing all creditors). To utilize the first process, see the specific section of the Participant’s Guide Re: “Motion to Avoid Lien (with passive hearing notice).”

**STEP 1** - Click on the Bankruptcy hyperlink on the CM/ECF Main Menu Bar.

**STEP 2** - The BANKRUPTCY EVENTS screen displays.

- Click on Motion/Applications hyperlink.
- For further information on each of these categories, click the (Help) icon.

**STEP 3** - The CASE NUMBER screen displays.

- Enter the case number for the appropriate case.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 4** - The EVENTS screen displays.

- Verify that the case name and number are correct.
- If the case name or number is not correct, click the browser **[Back]** button to re-enter the case number.
- Select **Avoid Lien (without passive hearing notice)** from the list of events.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 5** - The JOINT FILING screen displays.

- Click in the box if document is being filed with another attorney.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 6** - The SELECT PARTY screen displays.

- Select the party that the filing attorney is representing from the list.
- If the correct party does not appear in the drop down-box, click **Add/Create New Party** and complete the information. The party will usually be the trustee or debtor.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 7** - The ASSOCIATION screen appears.

- Click box to associate filing attorney with the filing party, if necessary.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 8** - The SELECT PDF screen displays.

- Select the .pdf file to associate with this event.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 9** - LIEN HOLDER INFORMATION screen displays.

- Enter the name of the creditor to which the lien avoidance is referenced.
- **NOTE:** Only one creditor may be entered in this field. For multiple creditors, docket this “Motion to Avoid Lien (without passive hearing notice)” Event for each creditor. Then docket the event: “Notice of Possible Hearing 25” found under the “Notices” category of Bankruptcy events and link it to each motion.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 10** - The REFERENCE AMENDED MOTION screen displays.

- Is This Motion Amending A Previous Motion? (Select YES or NO From the drop-down list.)
- Click the **[Next]** button.
- **NOTE:** If YES, select the appropriate event(s) to which your event relates in the next screen. If NO, skip to step 12.

**STEP11** - The SELECT RELATED EVENTS screen displays.

- Click to select the related document or event for which this is associated.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 12** - The VERIFICATION screen with debtor name and case number appear.

- Verify this is the correct case.
- Click the **[Next]** button.

**STEP 13** - The FINAL DOCKET TEXT screen displays.

- This is the last opportunity to verify the accuracy of the information. Submission of this screen is final.
- If the final docket text is incorrect, click the browser **[Back]** button to find the screen needed to modify.

**NOTE:** If the **[Back]** button is used and case information is altered, you must use the **[Next]** button and resubmit for each screen or the changes will not take effect. In other words, do not use the **[Forward]** button on the browser if you alter information on a previous screen.

- To abort or restart the transaction, click the Bankruptcy hypertext link on the Menu Bar.
- Click the **[Next]** button if correct.

Docket Text: Final Text

Motion to Avoid Lien With GMAC Filed by Henry Barr on behalf of Joy S. Goodwin. (Barr, Henry)

Attention!! Submitting this screen commits this transaction. You will have no further opportunity to modify this submission if you continue.

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**STEP 14** - The NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING screen displays.

- The Notice of Electronic Filing is the verification that the filing has been sent electronically to the court's database. It certifies that the document filed is now an official court document. It is recommended that you print this screen for your records because it also includes the date, time, case number, and document number.